

REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Date of entry in Register:	21 February 1996
Name of applicant/court:	Comptroller of Customs
Applicant to the Labelling Body:	Not Applicable
Title of Publication:	Ribald Number 774
Other Known Titles:	Not Stated
Director:	Not Applicable
Producer:	Not Applicable
Publisher:	Malnoj Pty Ltd
Author:	Not Applicable
Format:	Magazine
Country of Origin:	Australia
Language:	English

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Components of film originally examined: Not Applicable.

Feature:	Running time:
Trailers:	Running time:
	Total Running time:

Excision/Alteration: Not Applicable.

Reasons(s) for Excision:

Not Applicable.

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Classification Decision:

Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to Mr WJ Horne.

Display conditions:

Not Applicable.

Descriptive Note:

Not Applicable.

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Direction to issue a label has been given on: Not Applicable.

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SUMMARY OF THE REASONS FOR DECISION:

The publication is an Australian magazine presenting explicit sexual material for a male readership. This includes photographs and stories depicting sex acts in graphic detail, and which are referred to in s. 3(3) of the Films, Videos, and Publications Classification Act 1993. In particular the magazine degrades, dehumanises and demeans women, and represents that women are inherently inferior. It is likely to be injurious to the public good if made widely available. It is therefore classified as objectionable except if its availability is restricted to the owner, Mr WJ Horne.

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